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Re: Application of Noritaka II and Toshio MURAKAMI
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 Our Reference: Q58580
 PCT/JP98/04374, filed September 29, 1998

Dear Sir:

Applicants herewith submit the attached papers for the purpose of entering the National stage under 35 U.S.C. § 371 and in accordance with Chapter II of the Patent Cooperation Treaty. Attached hereto is the application identified above which is a translation of PCT International Application No. PCT/JP98/04374, filed September 29, 1998, comprising the specification, claims, executed Declaration and Power of Attorney, Notification Concerning Submission or Transmittal of Priority Document, foreign language International Preliminary Examination Report, Information Disclosure Statement, PTO Form 1449 with references, International Search Report, executed Assignment and PTO Form 1595.

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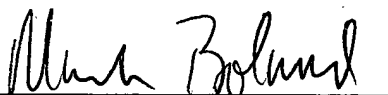
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